

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q88695

Yoshinobu MORIMOTO, *et al.*

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Group Art Unit: 1615

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Examiner: Melissa S. MERCIER

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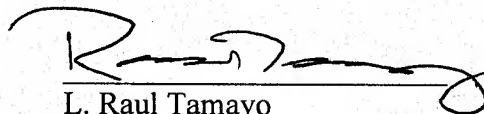
REQUEST FOR INTERVIEW

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Applicants hereby request a personal interview between the examiner and Applicants' attorney. The examiner is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned at the below listed local telephone number to arrange for an interview to be scheduled and conducted prior to taking this case up for action.

Respectfully submitted,



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